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In 2015 Bible Societies assisted in the completion of translations in 50 languages spoken by nearly 160 million people. 2 015 was 'a first' for no fewer than 28 languages, spoken by nearly 33 million people. 11 communities now have their ver y first full Bible, 6 have a New Testament and 11 communities have their first, or additional, portions of Scripture.

Languages are constantly developing so Bible Societies are also committed to revising existing translations and providin g new translations, when requested, to help as many people as possible engage with the message of the Bible today. In 2015 this resulted in a further 20 new translations and revisions plus 2 study editions with the potential to reach over 127 million people. ...

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